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§10:122C-7.3 Prescription and non-prescription medication

(a) Level I prescription and non-prescription medication requirements are as follows:

1. The resource family parent shall administer prescription medication to a child in placement only when a physician, clinical nurse specialist, nurse practitioner or dentist authorizes the medication.
2. The resource family parent shall administer non-prescription over-the-counter medication only in accordance with the recommended dosage for the age or weight of the child in placement, as indicated on the label or as directed by the child's physician, clinical nurse specialist, nurse practitioner or dentist.
3. The resource family parent shall ensure that all prescription and non-prescription medications are kept in an area inaccessible to children.

(b) The resource family parent shall safely dispose of all expired medications and prescriptions for each child in placement, which are no longer in use.